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UM'S 75th ANNIVERSARY TO FEATURE REPERTORY THEATER

MISSOULA--

Charter Month next month at the University of Montana will have many colorful features in honor of the University's 75th anniversary.

Included in a host of activities on the Missoula campus is the launching of the Montana Repertory Theater. Three stage productions chosen for the first MRT season will be played in repertory from Feb. 17-24. Feb. 17 is the ^{75th} anniversary date of the founding of the University.

Plays chosen for the initial repertory season are Oliver Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer," George Bernard Shaw's "The Devil's Disciple" and William Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar." The first two productions were presented at the University last fall and "Julius Caesar" will play Feb. 15 and 16 before joining the other plays in repertory.

The productions will be presented on the following dates during Charter Month. All productions will be at 8:15 p.m. in the University Theater.

"Julius Caesar," Feb. 15, 16, 21, 24; "The Devil's Disciple," Feb. 17, 22; "She Stoops to Conquer," Feb. 20, 23.

In March the Montana Repertory Company will tour the northwest for three weeks.

Dr. Firman H. Brown Jr., chairman of the drama department at the University, also is MRC director and originator of the repertory program in the state. Dr. Brown said the MRT is a semi-professional theater organized through the agencies of the UM drama department, the Montana Arts Council and the National Arts and Humanities Foundation.